

# THE TELEGRAM'S GREAT PROFIT SHARING CONTEST!

## \$25,000.

## 500 CASH PRIZES

THIS IS FOR YOU!

I RECKON THERE WILL BE  
15,844 VOTES CAST FOR  
PRESIDENT ON NOV. 8, 1904.  
WHAT DO YOU FIGURE IT?  
**\$10,000**  
(IN CASH)  
FOR THE NEAREST GUESS.

1st Prize, \$25,000, 2nd Prize, \$5,000, 3rd Prize, \$1,000  
Special Prizes of \$500 Each for Early Subscriptions

Every subscriber to The Daily or Weekly Telegram has an opportunity to share in these cash prizes. The subject of the interesting contest in which these large prizes will be paid is the Total Popular Vote to be cast for the office of President of the United States on the 8th day of November, 1904. Every man, woman or child in the United States should be interested in the Greatest Election the country has ever had.

### Conditions of this Great Contest.

There are two plans by which you may participate in this great contest:  
**FIRST**—By every paid in advance subscription to the Daily or Weekly Telegram. For every dollar paid in advance you are entitled to one fifty cent estimate.  
**SECOND**—Estimates will be sold direct from this office at the rate of 40 cents each or three for one dollar. These certificates will insure to him any prizes which his estimates will entitle him to claim. When you send us your subscription also send us your estimate of the Total Vote to be cast on November 8th, 1904, for the office of President. In making your estimates consult the figures below showing the total vote for President from Lincoln to McKinley. Write your name, address and estimates of the vote in the Subscription Blank below and mail the blank with your subscription to The Daily or Weekly Telegram. The paper will be sent to you regularly and we will mail to you certificates containing the figures of the estimates which you send us. These certificates will guarantee to you any prize which your estimate entitles you to. Keep these certificates until the prizes are awarded, so that you can compare your figures with the official figures at the close of the contest. The contest will close at midnight, November 7th, 1904, and estimates received after that hour will be allowed. The official figures of the government showing the total vote cast for the office of President will determine who are entitled to the prizes and will be determined by a disinterested committee of prominent judges just as soon as the official figures can be ascertained. When the prizes are given every subscriber who holds a certificate in the Contest will receive a printed list of the names. In addition to the large general prizes there are Eight Special Prizes of \$500.00 each for Early Subscriptions. Act at once. It may mean a fortune to you. The money with which to pay the prizes has been deposited by the Press Publishing Association, in the Central Savings Bank, Detroit, Mich., and can be used for no other purpose. In case of a tie for any individual prize such prize will be equally divided between the contestants.

Participation in this contest is not confined to our readers, as the contest is being advertised in a number of other publications, the subscribers to all of which have an equal opportunity to share in the distribution of the prizes.

### Here is the List of Prizes

For the nearest correct estimate.....	\$10,000.00	For the 42 next nearest correct estimates, \$15 each.....	630.00
For the second nearest correct estimate.....	5,000.00	For the 100 next nearest correct estimates, \$10 each.....	1,000.00
For the third nearest correct estimate.....	1,000.00	For the 314 next nearest correct estimates, \$5 each.....	1,570.00
For the fourth nearest correct estimate.....	500.00	492 prizes amounting to.....	\$21,000.00
In addition to the foregoing prizes the following SPECIAL PRIZES FOR EARLY ESTIMATES will be paid:		mate received on or after Sept. 1 and before Sept. 15.....	500.00
For the nearest correct estimate received before July 15.....	500.00	For the nearest correct estimate received on or after Aug. 1 and before Aug. 15.....	500.00
For the nearest correct estimate received on or after July 1st and before July 15.....	500.00	For the nearest correct estimate received on or after Aug. 15 and before Sep. 1.....	500.00
For the nearest correct estimate.....		For the nearest correct estimate.....	

### Valuable Information

To aid in forming your estimates, we furnish the following figures: The total popular vote for President in the year

1864 was	4,024,792
1868 was	5,724,686 an increase of 42.23 per cent
1872 was	6,466,165 an increase of 12.94 per cent
1876 was	8,412,733 an increase of 30.10 per cent
1880 was	9,209,406 an increase of 9.47 per cent
1884 was	10,044,985 an increase of 9.07 per cent
1888 was	11,380,860 an increase of 13.30 per cent
1892 was	12,059,351 an increase of 5.96 per cent
1896 was	13,923,102 an increase of 15.45 per cent
1900 was	13,959,653 an increase of .26 per cent
1904	What will it be?

Figure it out and send in your subscription. It may mean a fortune to you. Be careful to write your name, figures and P. O. plainly. Don't fail to take advantage of the Special Prizes.

#### COUPON NO. 1.—PAID IN ADVANCE SUBSCRIPTIONS.

Telegram Co., Clarksburg, W. Va.  
Enclosed find \$..... for which send the.....  
Telegram to the address below for..... months.  
Send me one fifty cent estimate for each dollar paid on the above subscription.  
Name.....  
Postoffice..... State.....  
My estimates of the total vote to be cast on November 8th for President are:

#### COUPON NO. 2.

Telegram Co., Clarksburg, W. Va.  
Enclosed find \$..... for which mail me estimates at the rate of 40 cents each or three for \$1.  
Name.....  
Postoffice..... State.....  
My estimates are as follows:

Remember that the CAPITAL PRIZE is \$10,000.00, and that there are EIGHT SPECIAL PRIZES of \$500.00 each for EARLY ESTIMATES.

Send all orders to

Profit Sharing Editor Telegram,  
Clarksburg, W. Va.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS OF REDUCED FARES

Authorized via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad—Summer Season, 1904.

San Francisco, Cal.:  
Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., September 19-25. One fare for the round trip to Chicago or St. Louis added to fares tendered therefrom (Chicago, \$50.00; St. Louis, \$47.50). Dates of sale to be announced later.

A Boy's Wild Ride for Life  
With family around expecting him to die, and a son riding for life, 18 miles to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, W. H. Brown, of Leesville, Ind., endured death agonies from asthma; but this wonderful medicine gave instant relief and soon cured him. He writes: "I now sleep soundly every night." Like marvelous cures of Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds and Grip prove its matchless merit for all throat and lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Stone & Mercer and Frank G. Bland's drug store.

Stock Raising for Profit.  
The south is rapidly coming to the front as a stock raising country for profits. You can learn how northern stock raisers located along the Illinois Central R. R. are getting rich in this business by writing for FREE descriptive matter and particulars to  
E. A. RICHTER, T.P.A., Ill. Cent. R. R.  
512 PARK BUILDING,  
PITTSBURG, PA.  
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Will Cure Consumption.  
A. A. Herren, of Finch, Ark., writes: "Foley's Honey and Tar is the best preparation for coughs, colds and lung trouble. I know that it has cured consumption in the first stages." It stops the cough, soothes and heals the inflamed membranes in the throat and lungs and prevents serious lung trouble. It is guaranteed for all throat and lung diseases. Refuse substitutes. For sale by Stone & Mercer, Wells & Haymaker and R. J. Criss.

Dairying in the South.  
If you are interested in dairying and desire to learn something that may be of advantage to you financially, write to the undersigned for his FREE descriptive pamphlet and particulars regarding dairying along the line of the Illinois Central R. R.  
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Cure for Sick Headache.  
We had a letter the other day from a lady in the town of Boulder, Colo., that should be of interest to people who are troubled with spells of sick headache. She writes that she had these spells about four times a week, was obliged to go to bed and remain there from 8 to 10 hours each time. Had been troubled this way for several years, and the attacks became more frequent. Doctors done her no good, she tried dieting as everybody said it was from her stomach. Seeing an advertisement of Dr. Gunn's Improved Liver Pills, which said they cure sick headache by removing the cause, she decided to try once more, and sent 50c for two boxes. She said she had taken the last pill more than 4 months ago, has not had a sick spell of any kind for more than 5 months. Druggists sell these pills for 50c per box. It only takes one for a dose, they cure sick headache every time Stone & Mercer.

A Chance for Northern Farmers.  
Are you tired of our cold northern winters, with their sickness and disease? Are you tired worrying over the danger of a crop failure and consequent financial ruin? Are you tired of working hard all season without a fair financial return on your efforts? Do you want to avoid all this, and live in a country where the air is always balmy and the climate healthy; where crop failures are unknown and financial troubles vanish; where land can be bought cheaply and taxes are almost nothing; where churches and schools are plentiful and the country thickly settled? All of these advantages can be secured along the lines of a double tracked railroad, and with the greatest markets in the United States at your very door. A postal or letter addressed to the undersigned will bring you FREE OF CHARGE, descriptive matter and full particulars.  
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Bucklin's Arnica Salve.  
Has world wide fame for marvelous cures. It surpasses any other salve, lotion, ointment or balm for Cuts, Corns, Burns, Bolls' Sores, Felons, Ulcers, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Chapped Hands, Skin Eruptions, infallible for Piles. Cure guaranteed by Stone & Mercer and Frank G. Bland, Druggists.

SWEET MELODY FLOUR  
FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR  
For health drink Francis mineral water. It is pure and all good physicians recommend it.  
June7-11

FRESH MILK FOR SALE.  
On and after Monday January 25 I will receive fresh milk from the country daily and will sell it in any quantity to local customers.  
BEUCHLER'S BAKERY.  
319 Pike Street.  
29Jan-04.

#### BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD TO THE WORLD'S FAIR.

Various forms of excursion tickets to St. Louis via Baltimore & Ohio railroad now on sale from Clarksburg as follows:

Season Tickets, good to return until December 15, 1904, to be sold daily at rate of \$26.60 round trip.

Sixty Day Excursion Tickets, final limit not later than December 15, 1904, to be sold daily at rate of \$22.10 round trip.

Fifteen Day Excursion Tickets, to be sold daily at rate of \$18.60 round trip. Various Route Excursion Tickets, either season or sixty day, will be sold going via one direct route and returning via another direct route, full information concerning which can be obtained from Ticket Agent.

Stop-overs not exceeding ten days at each point will be allowed at Washington, Deek Park, Mountain Lake Park, Oakland, Mitchell, Ind. (for French Lick and West Baden Springs), Cincinnati and Chicago within return limit, upon notice of conductor and deposit of ticket with Depot Agent immediately upon arrival.

Stop-overs not exceeding ten days will be allowed at St. Louis on all one-way (except colonists' tickets to the Pacific coast) and round-trip tickets reading to points beyond St. Louis, upon deposit of ticket with Validating Agent and payment of fee of \$1.00.

Three solid vestibule trains are run daily from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington via Parkersburg and Cincinnati to St. Louis.

Three solid vestibule trains are run daily from Pittsburgh, Wheeling and Columbus via Cincinnati to St. Louis.

Magnificent coaches, sleeping cars, observation cars and unexcelled dining car service.

For illustrated folder, time table and full information, call at Ticket Office, Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

Dr. Gunn's Blood and Nerve Tonic.  
There is not a woman in this land but at some time in her life would have been the better for the use of this tonic. For diseases peculiar to women a better medicine was never made. It is composed of the ingredients from which the system has been deprived by disease, overwork or dissipation. It enters at once into the circulation, building up the tissues that have been wasted, making pure rich blood in the most direct way. For weak, nervous, and unduly people, simply, pale or leaden people it will make strong steady nerves and give the complexion that wholesome look that indicates health, producing good solid flesh at the rate of one to three pounds per week. Druggists sell it for 25c per box, or three boxes for \$2. It should be taken after meals, one or two tablets each time. Stone & Mercer.

Greatly Reduced One-Way Colonist Fares to the West via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

Commencing Sept. 24 and continuing daily to and including Oct. 14, 1904, the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad will place on sale daily, from all stations, ONE-WAY COLONIST TICKETS to principal points in California, Arizona, British Columbia, Colorado, Montana, New Mexico, Oregon, South Dakota, Texas, Utah, Washington, Wyoming, etc., at greatly reduced rates.

For tickets and full information, call on or address Ticket Agents, Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.  
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#### Emergency Medicines.

It is a great convenience to have at hand reliable medicines for use in cases of accident and for slight injuries and ailments. A good liniment and one that is fast becoming a favorite if not a household necessity is Chamberlain's Pain Balm. By applying it promptly to a cut, bruise or burn, it allays the pain and causes the injury to heal in about one-third the time usually required, and as it is an antiseptic it prevents any danger of blood poisoning. When Pain Balm is kept at hand a sprain may be treated before inflammation sets in, which insures a quick recovery. For sale by Stone & Mercer.

#### Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

Cheap excursions to the St. Louis World's Fair every Wednesday in August, September and October. Only \$12 round trip, from Clarksburg.

Tickets will be good going in coaches only on specified trains.

Returning, tickets will be good in coaches only on all regular trains, leaving St. Louis not later than ten days including date of sale.

Call on ticket agent for time of train and full information.

Fearful Odds Against Him.....  
Bedridden alone and destitute. Such in brief was the condition of an old soldier by name of J. J. Havens, Versailles, O. For years he was troubled with Kidney disease and neither doctors or medicine gave him relief. A length he tried Electric Bitters. It put him on his feet in short order and now he testifies, "I am on the road to complete recovery." Best on earth for Liver and Kidney troubles and all forms of Stomach and Bowel Complaints. Only 50c. Guaranteed by Stone & Mercer and P. G. Bland, Druggists.

Re Sold a Pile of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.  
I have sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for more than twenty years and it has given entire satisfaction. I have had a pile of it and can recommend it highly.—Joseph McElhiney, Linton, Iowa. You will find this remedy a good friend when troubled with a cough or cold. It always affords quick relief and is pleasant to take. For sale by Stone & Mercer.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR  
For sale by Stone & Mercer, O. P. Sturm & Co., and R. J. Criss.

#### From 148 to 92 Pounds.

One of the most remarkable cures of a cold, deep seated on the lungs, causing pneumonia, is that of Mrs. Gertrude Finner, Marion, Ind., who was entirely cured by the use of One Minute Cough Cure. She says: "The coughing and straining so weakened me that I ran down in weight from 148 to 92 pounds. I tried a number of remedies to no avail until I used One Minute Cough Cure. Four bottles of this wonderful remedy entirely cured me of the cough, strengthened my lungs and restored me to my normal weight, health and strength." Sold by Stone & Mercer.

#### Agents Wanted.

The result of the election will be foreshadowed in the New York World election was foretold, and as McKinley's triumphs were, The World giving the electoral vote by States with absolute correctness ten weeks before McKinley's election day.

The World will not only strive to be right, but it will be bright and large; national in its news and views. Every one who is interested in this vital Presidential contest will need it every day. No Democrat or Republican should be without it.

The regular price for the Daily Morning World by mail is \$2.00 for four months, but for a special time The World will send the Daily Morning Edition by mail for four months for \$1.

Agents are wanted to take subscriptions. A liberal commission will be given. Address World Campaign Club, Room 49, Pulitzer Building, N. Y.

Terms, subscription blanks, sample copies, printed matter, etc., will be sent by return mail.

#### What's in a Name.

Everything is in the name when it comes to Witch Hazel Salve. E. C. DeWitt & Co. of Chicago, discovered some years ago how to make a salve from Witch Hazel that is a specific for piles. For blind, itching, bleeding and protruding piles, eczema, cuts, burns, bruises and all skin diseases, DeWitt's salve has no equal. This has given rise to numerous worthless counterfeits. Ask for DeWitt's—the genuine. Sold by Stone & Mercer.

#### FOR SALE.

One house, six rooms, bath room, reception hall, two porches, bin, basement cellar.

One five room house.

Good water in both houses.

Inquire 937 W. Pike street. n25-11

#### In Praise of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

"Allow me to give you a few words in praise of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," says Mr. John Hamlett, of Eagle Pass, Texas, "I suffered one week with bowel trouble and took all kinds of medicine without getting relief, when my friend, Mr. C. Johnson, a merchant here, advised me to take this remedy. After taking one dose I felt greatly relieved and when I had taken the third dose was entirely cured. I thank you from the bottom of my heart for putting this great remedy in the hands of mankind." For sale by Stone & Mercer.

#### Notice of Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Charles J. Goff and Harry T. Wilson under the firm name and style of H. T. Wilson & Co., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All indebtedness due to the firm will be collected by H. T. Wilson and all monies owing by the firm will be paid and discharged by him. Witness our hands this 25th day of August, 1904.

CHARLES J. GOFF,  
H. T. WILSON.

#### The Stomach is the Man.

A weak stomach weakens the man, because it cannot transform the food he eats into nourishment. Health and strength can not be restored to any sick man or woman without first restoring wealth and strength to the stomach. A stomach cannot digest enough food to feed the tissues and revive the tired and run down limbs and organs of the body. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat, cleanses and strengthens the glands and membranes of the stomach, and cures indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach trouble. Sold by Stone & Mercer.

#### Notice.

All persons making disrespectful remarks about me and my family, from this day on, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law, for we are not violators of the state or moral laws.

JOHN P. GREGORY,  
M. A. GREGORY,  
BEN W. GREGORY.

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WEST VIRGINIA-SHORT LINE  
West Bound.  
No. 56 (daily ex. Sun.) Lv. 12:00 noon  
No. 58 (daily ex. Sun.) Ar. 8:05 p. m.  
East Bound.  
No. 57 (daily ex. Sun.) Lv. 6:30 a. m.  
No. 59 (daily ex. Sun.) Lv. 2:30 p. m.  
Trains Nos. 7 and 8 run between Clarksburg and Sutton.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR  
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#### PERFECTION IN TAILORING.

Is reached when material, fit, style and workmanship are satisfactory. All must be right or the result is a failure. We never fail to please in a single particular. Come in and see.

#### THE NEW SUITINGS

They are very handsome this season. We are making them up in suits to order for \$25 and up.

J. E. FLYNN  
5th TAILOR • 350 MAIN ST.

THE  
COMMERCIAL HOTEL  
Mrs. A. S. Bracy Proprietor.

House thoroughly renovated and everything in first-class order.

RATES  
\$1 per day or \$5 a week  
Aug 19-04

We : : :  
Guarantee

Painless extracting and painless removal of nerves by our modern methods and appliances.



We guarantee our Plates to fit and teeth to look natural.

Full Set of Teeth  
Guaranteed..... \$5.00  
Painless extracting..... 50  
Fillings..... 50 up  
Bridge work per tooth..... \$5.00

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#### DR. HILL Manager.

Lady Attendant Home Phone 42  
Leggett Building,  
CLARKSBURG, WEST VA.

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#### For Water Wells.

Contractor for Water Wells, Shallow Oil Wells, Shaft, Test Holes for Coal  
673 Mulberry Street,  
Home Phone. P. O. Box 125

#### BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.

Taking effect Sunday, May 15, 1904.

West Bound.  
No. 1—(daily) due 12:53 a. m.  
No. 71—(daily) due 7:26 a. m.  
No. 3—(daily) due 9:58 a. m.  
No. 4—(daily) due 3:42 p. m.  
No. 55—(daily) due 7:25 p. m.

East Bound.  
No. 2—(daily) due 3:54 a. m.  
No. 46—(daily) due 10:22 a. m.  
No. 12—(daily) due 5:40 p. m.  
No. 72—(daily) due 6:58 p. m.  
No. 1—(daily) due 9:55 p. m.

W. VA. & PITTS. DIVISION  
West Bound.  
No. 1—(daily ex. Sunday) Ar. 6:15 a. m.  
Lv. 6:15 a. m.  
No. 1—(daily) Ar. 9:30 a. m.; Lv. 10:30 a. m.

No. 5—(daily ex. Sun.) Ar. 2:10 p. m.; Lv. 3:55 p. m.  
No. 7—(daily ex. Sun.) Ar. 6:40 p. m.; Lv. 7:20 p. m.

East Bound.  
No. 4—(daily ex. Sun.) Lv. 6:40 a. m.  
No. 2—(daily ex. Sun.) Ar. 8:50 a. m.; Lv. 10:35 p. m.  
No. 4—(Sunday only) Ar. and Lv. 8:40 a. m. Leave 10:35 a. m.

No. 6—(daily) Ar. 3:33 p. m.; Lv. 4 p. m.  
No. 4—(daily ex. Sun.)—Ar. and Lv. 12:30 p. m.

#### WEST VIRGINIA-SHORT LINE

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